

Meagan Mullanix Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship will be awarded yearly to a student who has faced hardship due to a personal illness or that of a loved one. Our lives changed forever in the moment our child was diagnosed with Leukemia at the age of 17. We had to learn how to move forward with our lives while privately carrying our pain, and at the same time attempt to stay strong and positive. Knowing firsthand how difficult that can be, we hope to make a difference for a young person experiencing similar challenges.

Meagan Mullanix was a light in this world. She was smart, funny, compassionate, athletic, and simultaneously awkward and grace-filled. She

embraced being present in each moment, and cared deeply for the people who came into her life. She made us laugh on a daily basis.

Meagan and her older sister, Kacey, shared an incredible bond, and were fiercely protective of each other. Even though she was battling cancer, Meagan often told us she was troubled by Kacey's accumulating college loans. She wished there were scholarships for those affected by the illness of a family member and hoped to establish one someday. We are now honoring that wish.

The Meagan Mullanix Memorial Scholarship will be awarded to one individual each year in the amount of \$1,000. Applicants between the ages of 17 to 25 years of age are encouraged to apply. Applications will be accepted from March 1^{st} to May 1^{st} , 2023. After the deadline has passed, a selection committee will review the submissions, and a decision will be rendered by May 10^{th} .

Our family believes in the power of moving forward in life, always looking toward the future, and hanging on to hope. We have all benefitted from Meagan's light, and it brings us joy to share it with the recipient of this yearly scholarship.

Meagan Mullanix Memorial Scholarship 2023 Application Form

Name	Date of Birth
Address	
Phone #	Email Address
Current School	Graduation Date
Intended College, Unive	ersity, or Trade School
Extracurricular Activition	es (teams, clubs, volunteer efforts, work experience, etc.)
Awards or Honors (recei	ved during high school)

Please submit a letter of personal experience. Some topics you may choose to cover are listed below, but please feel free to share any information that you would like us to consider when making our recipient selection.

- Tell us about how your life has been affected by your illness, or that of a family member.
- Are there people in your life who have helped you through this difficult time? If so, how have they made a difference?
- What are your interests? Would you like to share with us your favorite movies, music, books, games, hobbies, sports teams, etc.?
- Have you chosen your major field of study or trade? If so, what are your pursuits? Do you have specific career goals and aspirations?

On behalf of the selection committee, we thank you for applying for this scholarship. With each letter we read we will be honoring Meagan, and we appreciate the time you have taken to submit it.

Please send the completed application form and letter, postmarked by May 1,2023 to:

Meagan Mullanix Memorial Scholarship 5406 Ocean Avenue Everett, WA 98203

Or email your completed application and letter by May 1,2023 to:

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